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SUBMISSION OF EXECUTED DECLARATION

ATTN: BOX MISSING PARTS **Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted" (copy enclosed), mailed August 06, 1999, Applicants submit herewith the required Declaration properly executed by the inventors.

A check for the surcharge of \$130.00 is attached. Please also charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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Submitted herewith is a certified copy of the priority document on which a claim to priority was made under 35 U.S.C. § 119. The Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge receipt of said priority document.

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